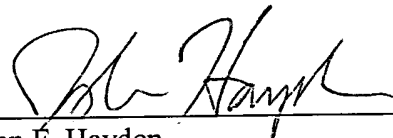


REMARKS

Claim 22 has been canceled. New claims 26-35 have been added. Claims 1-21 and 23-35 are now pending in this application. Applicants submit that all of the claims are now in condition for examination, which action is requested. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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